

**What excites you the most
about what's going on at
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1. Grab a Bible.

2. Get a Notesheet.

3. Get Ready!



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:: today's notes ::

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for—give for—get for—go
for—lorn for—bid for—sake

Forgiveness is the gift of
DOING NOTHING
when someone deserves
SOMETHING BAD.



Forgiveness Words:

SALAH

(most common Hebrew word)

...if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

2 Chronicles 7:14 NIV



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Forgiveness Words: NASA

(to lift up • 3, 2, 1 . . .)

And he passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, "The LORD, the LORD, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, maintaining love to thousands, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin..."

Yet he does not leave the guilty unpunished; he punishes the children and their children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation.”

Exodus 34:6-7 NIV



Forgiveness Words:

KIPER

(atone • cover over)

Yet he was merciful; he forgave their iniquities and did not destroy them. Time after time he restrained his anger and did not stir up his full wrath.

Psalm 78:38 NIV



Forgiveness Words:

APHIEMI

(leave behind, cease, reset)

Matthew 18:10-35

(p. 688)

Forgiveness is LIFTING
GUILT, DEALING with it,
and LEAVING it BEHIND.



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But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit..."

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She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.”

Matthew 1:20-21 NIV



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Mark 2:1-11

(p. 700)



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Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing.” And they divided up his clothes by casting lots.

Luke 23:34 NIV



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Surely he took up our pain and bore our suffering, yet we considered him punished by God, stricken by him, and afflicted. But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed.

Isaiah 53:4-5 NIV



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Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you." And with that he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive anyone's sins, their sins are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."

John 20:21-23 NIV



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Through Jesus,
God gives me the gift of
FORGIVENESS that I might
GIVE it to **OTHERS** too.



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